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ful work, are the claims upon which we solicit a share of your business in the future. Thanking those who have favored me in the past and hoping to continue to please them, I am respectfully,

F. A. LEE.

TROOPS IN CONTROL.

They Hold Kentucky's Two Governors Far Apart.

SOLDIERS DOUBTFUL.

They Do Not Know Which Governor to Support—Declare They Will Not Be Run Out—Goebel's Condition Is Serious.

Frankfort, Feb. 1.—Armed soldiers are holding the balance of power between two governors here. That was the situation in Frankfort early this morning. Whoever the soldiers decide is the proper official for them to obey, he will be seated in the gubernatorial chair. Soldiers themselves are in a quandary as to what they should do and they are awaiting developments. While all the officers of the troops are Republicans, many of them, it is said, do not intend resisting the legal governor of Kentucky, provided they are satisfied who is the individual. All things being equal they will stand by Taylor.

Some young Democrats have broken away from the control of the leaders and are openly talking of swearing in citizens as special policemen in order to take possession of the state buildings and the capitol grounds if the troops did not obey the orders issued Wednesday by Governor Goebel.

Several appeals to the people, "Statements to the Public" and "Proclamations to the Commonwealth," have been circulated, all of them being violent in nature. One of them which did not, however, receive many signatures, called on the people to drive out the military by force.

There is one thing sure in this political chaos that is that nobody is going to drive out the soldiers. They will be driven by nobody and make no bones of such an assertion. Any attack will be promptly met and a desperate fight is certain to result.

The proprietors of the Capitol hotel who yesterday refused to allow meetings of the Democrats within the building, because they had been informed by Adjutant General Collier that he would immediately seize the building if they did so, now declare that they will allow any political meetings to assemble that do not act contrary to the rules of the establishment. They will rent rooms to anybody who wanted them and those holding meetings could take the chances.

An effort was made by members of the legislature to hold a session. About a dozen members of the house went to the gates, headed by Representative Charlton of Louisville. Two bayonets were crossed in front of Mr. Charlton's nose as he entered the gate and he was asked for his pass.

"I have no pass," was his reply. "I am a member of the legislature, as are these gentlemen with me, and we wish to enter the hall to hold a session."

"Nobody can enter without holding a pass," was the reply.

Mr. Carlton and his companions returned to the Capitol hotel. They announced when they left the capitol they would get all members of the house and senate together and returned in a body and demanded admission. Information was sent them by a sentry as they walked away that with passes they could enter without they could not.

Large crowds gathered at the depot early this morning to greet the train from Louisville. It had been currently reported that General Castlemann would come in and many enthusiastic Democrats expected to see him walk up to the state house and take command of the troops, rout Adjutant General Collier the first thing and then scatter the Republican officials to all points of the compass. General Castlemann failed to appear however and there was a sorely disappointed crowd.

It is now denied by the Democrats that the position of adjutant general was ever offered General Castlemann.

It is reported that Governor Taylor has reconsidered his determination to insist that the legislature go to London.

No clew yet to the man who shot Gov. Goebel.

GOEBEL'S CONDITION.

His Physicians Say There Is No Hope for His Recovery.

Frankfort, Feb. 1.—Physicians attending Governor Goebel say he has a thousand chances to die to one to live. He passed a good night, but early this morning began to sink and at times was unconscious. He would rally and seem much better and then would grow worse.

His physicians say he cannot live long under such circumstances and that a material change must come soon or death would ensue.

At three o'clock this afternoon he was alive but that is all that could be said.

Frankfort, Feb. 1.—The condition of Governor Goebel at 11:30 last night was better than at any time during the day. He was resting comfortably, no unfavorable symptoms had appeared, and it was announced that he would unquestionably get through the night in good shape.

At 5 o'clock his condition was unchanged.

BULLER'S ADVANCE.

It Is Not Believed He Has Made Another Step Forward.

London, Feb. 1.—London papers have little news from South Africa and there is not much comfort in that little except that the beleaguered garrison of Ladysmith did not despair when they heard of General Buller's second reverse, but were still hopeful and determined.

The public does not believe that Gen. Buller's army is capable of relieving Ladysmith, so the talk of a fresh movement does not inspire hope. It is not true, as has been reported that General Buller has withdrawn his troops south of the Tugela. His big guns are still at Mount Alice with Littleton's brigade covering them.

According to the latest information the retirement from Spionkop was inevitable, when reinforcements and a few guns arrived during the night the position still held by the British forces, was so confined that the various regiments were huddled together and it was impossible in the darkness to make proper arrangements to meet the storm of shell and bullets that the day-light would bring upon them.

The campaign in Cape Colony does not develop rapidly. The Boers at Colesberg, Steynsburg and Stormberg seem to be content if they can keep the British troops in check while Cronje operates between Modder river and Kimberley, holding Methuen quiet while the Boers bombard the "Diamond City."

Dr. Leyds' popularity in Berlin seems to be worrying the London papers. He is to hold another conference with Count Von Buelow.

WARREN'S LOSS.

Forty Per Cent of His Men Lost in the Spion Kop Fight.

London, Feb. 1.—The supplemental list of casualties fill two columns in nonpareil type in the morning papers, making 1300 reported thus far for General Buller's operations north of the Tugela, and the total may exceed 2000.

The 40 per cent loss at Spion kop is greater than any British force ever suffered, except possibly at Albuera, Spain, in 1811.

The admiralty has warned all half pay naval officers to hold themselves in readiness for service. This, with the fact that able seamen not thoroughly experienced have been withdrawn from the channel squadron, is taken to indicate the early mobilization of the reserve fleet, especially "A" division.

At a meeting of the army and navy members of the house of commons yesterday a resolution expressing absolute confidence in whatever the government thought necessary commanded only two votes. Instead of this a resolution was adopted calling for the immediate formation of a home defense force.

Lord Salisbury has called another cabinet council which will meet tomorrow or Saturday to consider the situation.

Public spirits are at a very low ebb.

Buller Recrosses the Tugela.

London, Feb. 1.—The St. James Gazette says it is reported on good authority that General Buller has again crossed the Tugela river at three places and fighting is proceeding.

British Take Prieska.

Cape Town, Feb. 1.—A British force with artillery is reported to have occupied Prieska and are now encamped there. Prieska is on the Orange river, 100 miles below the Orange River station and west of Kimberley.

From Boers Around Ladysmith.

Hoof Laager, Ladysmith, Feb. 1.—All is quiet here. "Long Tom" occasionally fires on Ladysmith. The deaths in Ladysmith from fever and other causes must be enormous as we clearly see them burying corpses daily.

General Joubert went to upper Tugela yesterday.

Beresford Gone to Take Charge.

London, Feb. 1.—Rear Admiral Lord Charles Beresford has started on his way to Malta to take command of the second division of the British Mediterranean fleet.

Menelik Not Armoring.

New York, Feb. 1.—A dispatch from Zurich states the reports that Menelik is arming are untrue, and the negus has rejected French and Russian counsel to attack the English from the rear. Menelik in November last received the extraordinary embassy sent him by England with the greatest honor. He held any number of conferences with the English envoys at which Herr Ilg, his Swiss adviser, was present. The negus was highly delighted with the result of



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"The national government should seek to maintain honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere and sympathizing with all people who strive for greater liberty."—Republican national platform of 1872. How about "them" Boers and Filipinos?

In noting the presence of Dr. Fred B. Johnston in Houston the Post says, regarding the proposed railroad from Anderson to Planterville: "The right-of-way has been secured, cleared and is ready for the work of construction. About half the ties necessary have been cut and as soon as steel can be secured tracklaying on the Texas Northern will commence. A representative of a prominent New York house is here looking over the ground and he is so well satisfied with the prospects that he has agreed to a contract for material. The road is projected twelve miles. Dr. Johnston has been offered a large bonus from other towns if he will extend it."

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10c—6 ounce 25c—1 pint 50c.

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PRESCRIPTION PHARMACY.

GOEBEL IS SWORN IN.

Declared Governor of Kentucky and Takes the Oath.

DISMISSES COLLIER.

He Appoints John B. Castleman to His Place—in a Proclamation He Orders State Troops to Return to Their Homes.

Frankfort, Feb. 1.—William Goebel was, shortly before 9 o'clock last night, sworn in as governor of Kentucky and J. C. W. Beckham a few minutes later, took the oath as lieutenant governor. The oath was administered to both men by Chief Justice Hazelrigg, of the court of appeals. The plan to make Goebel governor was set in motion early in the afternoon. A statement was prepared saying that the boards which had heard the contests for governor and lieutenant governor had decided in favor of Goebel and Beckham, and that the boards intended to report their findings to the legislature, but that they had been prevented from so doing by the action of Governor Taylor in declaring the legislature adjourned. The statement then goes on to say that the members of the legislature were driven from place to place by militia and threatened with arrest whenever they attempted to hold a meeting. It was declared the belief of all the signers of the statement that Goebel and Beckham were legally elected governor and lieutenant governor, and each man as he signed the paper, announced that he voted for the adoption of the majority report of the contest boards which declared Goebel and Beckham to be the men rightfully entitled to the office.

The statement is signed by a majority of the members of both houses.

It was slow work obtaining the signatures of the members of the house and senate, and although the work was in progress all afternoon, it was not until evening that the necessary number of signatures had been obtained. As soon as the last man actually needed had affixed his signature to the statement word was sent to the residence of Chief Justice Hazelrigg of the court of appeals. He came at once to the Capitol hotel, passed directly upstairs to the room of Mr. Goebel and administered the oath of office. Mr. Goebel was propped up with pillows and was able to raise his hand only with the greatest difficulty as he listened to the words of Judge Hazelrigg. When the oath had been given, Mr. Goebel sank back exhausted, the effect having been almost too much for his strength.

There were in the room at the time the oath was administered, besides Mr. Goebel and Judge Hazelrigg, Arthur Goebel, brother of the wounded man, Mrs. Welch, his sister, and Percy Haley, his campaign manager, and two or three intimate friends. Mr. Goebel was unable to say anything regarding the matter, but the contented smile on his face bore strong witness to the pleasure that he felt.

Immediately upon leaving the room where he had sworn in Mr. Goebel, Judge Hazelrigg went to an adjoining room where he swore in Mr. Beckham as lieutenant governor. This done, he returned to his home. Judge Hazelrigg refused to make any statement concerning the manner in which the offices had been conferred upon the Democratic contestants.

"A majority of both houses of the legislature declared for them," he said, "and when I was asked to swear them in there was nothing left for me to do but administer the oaths of office. The proceeding was of course entirely legal and proper. I would not have done as I did had it been otherwise."

Mr. Goebel, as soon as he was assured that he was legally governor of Kentucky, took prompt action regarding the military arm of the service. Two orders were quickly prepared for his signature, the first of which discharged Adjutant General Daniel Collier from office and appointed General John B. Castleman of Louisville as his successor. The second was directed to the commanders of the militia now stationed in this city, directing them to return to their homes. Word was at once telegraphed to General Castleman of his appointment.

There is a possibility of trouble in this matter of control of state troops. The regiments of the guard have lately been reorganized and are for the most part made up of Republicans and the personal followers of Governor Taylor.

Late in the afternoon Governor Taylor issued a warrant for the arrest of Speaker Trimble, charging him with conspiracy to overthrow the government. The warrant was placed in Adjutant General Collier's hands for service. Trimble could not be found.

Adjutant General Collier declared yesterday that if the members did not attend the legislative meeting which is called to meet on Feb. 6, he would arrest them individually, provided he received the necessary orders from Gov. Taylor, and convey them to London.

The Democrats have not said they would not go to London, but their legal advisers have counseled them that Gov. Taylor had no right to adjourn the leg-

islature and it is likely that the matter will be tested in the courts before any circumstances can arise which would call for the arrest of members. The Democrats have not, in fact, decided what they will do.

GOEBEL'S PROCLAMATION.

He Orders the State Militia to Return to Their Homes.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—The following proclamation was issued last night by Governor Goebel:

"Commonwealth of Kentucky, Executive Department, Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 31.—Whereas, It has been made known to me that certain persons without authority of law have banded themselves together for the purpose of forcibly preventing the general assembly of Kentucky from assembling and discharging their official duties at the seat of government and have for said unlawful purpose assembled in the city of Frankfort, the First and Second regiments of the Kentucky state guard, and by force of arms have unlawfully taken possession of the hall of the house of representatives and the senate chamber of the state of Kentucky, as well as other public buildings and archives of the commonwealth, and have by force and intimidation expelled the general assembly from the capitol buildings and refuse to permit the senate and house of representatives to hold their sessions therein, and are now terrorizing the representatives of the people and other good citizens of the commonwealth. Now, therefore, I, William Goebel, governor of the commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby command the said First and Second regiments of the Kentucky state guard, and each and every officer and member thereof, to return to their homes and several avocations, and there remain until lawfully called into active service.

"I also command all persons whatsoever who are now unlawfully engaged in interfering with and intimidating members of the general assembly of this commonwealth to disband and desist from terrorizing and intimidating the said members of the general assembly and all other good citizens of this commonwealth.

"Given under my hand as governor of the commonwealth of Kentucky, at Frankfort, Ky., this 31st day of January, 1900.

"WILLIAM GOEBEL."

JUSTIFIES HIS ACTS.

Taylor Tells the People Why He Adjourning the Legislature.

Frankfort, Feb. 1.—Governor Taylor yesterday afternoon issued the following address to the people:

"To the people of Kentucky—The most lamentable condition of affairs ever experienced by our people has rendered prompt action on the part of the chief executive of the state absolutely necessary. A long series of unprecedented and unlawful acts practiced by those in charge of the legislative interests of the state has culminated in the most fearful condition of the period to the state. The dreadful tragedy which occurred has shocked and startled all and can be no more sincerely deplored by any one than myself.

"To attempt to legislate under such conditions of excitement and threatened violence as now prevails in Frankfort would be sheer madness, and I have therefore, in the exercise of my constitutional powers, adjourned the legislature to convene in London, Ky., Feb. 6.

"I have taken every precaution to preserve the peace, that every citizen may know that life and property are safe and will be protected with every resource of the commonwealth. I trust that in this laudable effort I will have the support of every law-abiding citizen of Kentucky. W. S. TAYLOR,

Governor of Kentucky,

Texas Legislature.

Austin, Feb. 1.—In the senate yesterday the substitute for Mr. Potter's bill providing for compensation of the school fund was adopted. Several amendments were then placed before the senate. The bill is still pending.

In the house the committee on privileges and elections presented a report declaring that Hon. E. R. Tarver, representative from Webb and Encinal counties, by accepting the office of superintendent of public instruction of Webb county, forfeited his right to a seat in the house under the constitution. The report remains to be acted upon.

Resolutions of sympathy were adopted in both houses over the attempted assassination of Senator Goebel at Frankfort, Ky.

Trust Law in Effect.

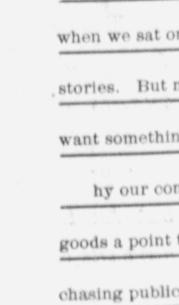
Austin, Feb. 1.—The Texas antitrust law became effective yesterday, and in this connection the recent decision of Judge Kohlsaat of the federal court of Illinois, declaring the antitrust law of Illinois unconstitutional, is attracting much attention. Those who have studied the Illinois law and that of Texas declare the latter is subject to the same objections which caused the Illinois court to declare the law of the state a nullity. It is probable courts of this state will soon be called upon to pass on the constitutionality of the Texas measure.

Patient Escapes and Dies.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 1.—Pegleg Morris, a 1-legged negro, who has been confined in a small shanty above the city, became very delirious and broke away from his nurse, starting for town, and was found dead on the roadside, frozen. Jailer John Ashby has the smallpox, contracted from a negro prisoner. The jail is in quarantine, and no prisoners are to be sent until the quarantine is raised.

"FAIRY TALES."

SOME FOLK'S pretences to always undersell the world are rather tiresome. No one has monopoly of brains and money. It will be a very sorry day for this little town when competition ceases. The fanciful stories of some remind us much of our childhood days when we sat on Mother's knee listening to Mother Goose stories. But maturer years require more reason. You want something more substantial than Fairy tales. That hy our constant attempt is to make th prices on our goods a point to meet the approval of the sensible pur-



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The Eagle reporter did not witness the Brown's In Town performance on Wednesday night, but learns from several who were there that it was one of the best shows of the season.

The work of putting up the new iron pier of the iron bridge at Pitts' Ferry on the Brazos river has been finished and the bridge is now open to travel.

Knolly Robinson has a position with Zuber & McDougald, and will be glad to have his friends and the public call and see him.

If you want solid comfort these cold nights, try one of those flannel night shirts at Parks & Waldrop's. 53

Judge W. J. Moore returned yesterday from Calvert. He is just recovering from several weeks illness.

Mrs. Semones Adams has returned to Houston after visit to Capt. J. J. Adams and family.

See our new line of wall papers.
d57 WILSON-JENKINS DRUG CO.

Jake Shapira, of Madisonville, was here yesterday, having just returned from Waco.

The prettiest line of all-over embroidery and laces ever seen in Bryan at Norwood's. 52

Miss Maida Haltom returned to Benchley yesterday after visiting Mrs. B. A. Smith.

Battle Ax flour at \$1.00 per sack is just what you are looking for.
d58 D. Mike, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fountain are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Astin near Hearne.

Try Battle Ax flour—it's fine—\$1.00 per sack. D. Mike, Jr.
d58

W. A. Strickland of Tabor was among the callers at The Eagle office yesterday.

Try the famous Brook Hill Whisky at the Exposition saloon. d53tf

Smoke Metropolitan cigars sold at Exposition Saloon. d53tf

Pocketbook Lost.

I lost a pocketbook containing \$15 in currency yesterday morning, between Tabor and Bryan. The finder will please leave the same at the EAGLE office, Bryan, for reward.

G. P. CHESSIRE.

Letter List.

LADIES.

Campbell, Anne	Jones, Sallie
Cowsey, Oveta	Light, Bettie
Gilber, Lizzie	MacIory, Mrs.
Hayes, R. J.	Powers, Mandel
Hicler, Ella	Robertson, Motilda
Hoffman, Mittie	Robeson, Laura
Johnson, Lizzie	Summers, Lizzie
Johnson, Edith	Williams, Lily.

GENLS.

Ables, J. I.	Harvy, O.
Brisby, Andrew	Harvey, John B.
Bolem, L. M.	Houston, Jerry M.
Brown, F. M.	Huton, Mr.
Burns, M.	Johnson, Handy
Crawford, Warren	Jackson, Harrison
Christie, W. B.	Kucera, Tom
Coleman, Mac,	Lindon, Jas E. M.
Carlington, B. L.	Parker, G. W.
Elliott, W. E.	Rice, Edgar
Fields, Daniel	Fortenberry, Clyde
Gay, Jas	Green, G. W.
Hawkins, D.	Henry, P.
Henry, John B.	Houston, Jerry H.
Hutson, Mr.	Johnson, Handy
Jackson, Harrison	Kucera, Tom
Lendon, Jas E. M.	Parker, G. W.
Rice, Edgar	Richardson, Jas
Scully, James	Thompson, Wm. S.
White, Tony	Williams, Charlie

Above list of letters remaining in the Bryan post office for the week ending Jan. 30. A charge of one cent is made on each piece of mail advertised. When calling for these letters please say ad vertised, giving date. Very Respt
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w18 Dr. J. R. Sims.

Hotel Arrivals.

EXCHANGE.

F W Norris, Houston; S W Huddleston, Houston; A J Haber, New York; Tom J Lee, Galveston; Ed H Hardin, Waco; W G Dalton, Austin; B F Amos, Sheboygan; E C Murray, St Louis; J H Carpenter, Plano; H D Gohman, Louisville; J M Brown, Waco; J J Hussey, Houston; D P McAlpine, Calvert; G W Schmidt, Dallas; Jno R Spann, Waco; C. W Bennett, St L; Joseph Freibis, Cincinnati; A Cohn, Chicago; D H Stokes, Dallas; B J Moore, Chicago; J Shapira, Madisonville; Oscar Jannasch, Baltimore; V C Dargan, Dallas; L H Fuller, City; F W Harris, St Louis.

CENTRAL.

"Brown's in Town" Co; Ed Bullard, Jim Day, Madisonville; Dick Jones, City; A E Drummond, Dundee; S M Casey, Willow Hole; J M Harris, Dallas; Ira J Lamont, New York; J S McNeel, San Antonio, G P Trumble, Dallas.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I this day have been appointed temporary administrator of the estate of A. B. Carr, Sr., with power to collect all debts and to bring suit if necessary thereto; to take charge of, control and manage the estate. All persons indebted to the estate are notified to settle same at once. My place of residence is Bryan, Brazos county, Texas. G. S. PARKER
Bryan, Tex., Jan. 24, 1900. 46ft-15tf

MISS ANTHONY TO RETIRE.

She Desires a Younger Woman at the Head of Woman Suffrage.

New York, Feb. 1.—Miss Susan B. Anthony has arrived in Washington to make preparations for the annual convention of the National American Woman Suffrage association, which opens there next week. It will be associated with two interesting occurrences in the life of Miss Anthony—the celebration of her eightieth birthday and her resignation as president. The first will be made a great festivity by friends of the veteran suffrage leader. The second will cause universal regret and sorrow.

It is no question of failing vigor, mental or physical, for Susan B. Anthony "never looked better in her life." Active of step, alert and ready of speech, retaining the forceful characteristics of her strong individuality, she would pass for a woman of 60 any day. There is no sign of 50 years hard, steady work, full of doubt, discouragement and disappointment.

For 28 years Miss Anthony has wielded the gavel at annual conventions—in the first years as vice president at large, acting in the absence of Mrs. Stanton, the president, and later when elected president to succeed Mrs. Stanton.

Miss Anthony says she has other work to do before passing on "beyond the river" and therefore desires herself to place the gavel in younger hands and encourage the younger element to lead in suffrage work. She does not specify the other work but it is understood that it includes the complete history from the beginning in 1848 to 1900.

It is said that Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New York, is the most available candidate to succeed Miss Anthony. In the number of delegates New York is the banner state, sending 26 to the convention.

Fire at Dayton.

Dayton, O., Feb. 1.—Fire in the manufacturing district here caused a loss of \$500,000. The heaviest sufferers are J. F. Wolf & Son, Bimbo & Co., the Globe Paper company and Benedict & Co. Watchman Snedker while trying to locate the fire was overcome with smoke and was found by the firemen. Louis Swanager, a fireman, was removed to his home badly frozen. Wolf & Son were insured for \$335,000, Benedict & Co. for \$30,000 and the Globe Paper company for \$50,000. In each instance the loss was complete.

Want Permanent Positions.

New York, Feb. 1.—Red Cross nurses, who worked during the Spanish-American war, have appointed a committee to urge the passage of a bill by congress to provide for the employment of women nurses in military hospitals of the army. Women are so employed now, but there is no law providing for their qualification or making their positions permanent, and a change in surgeon generals might lead to an entire change in the hospital working force.

No Hall for Bryan.

New York, Feb. 1.—Gov. Voorhees of New Jersey, it is reported from Paterson, N. J., positively refuses to give the use of the armory in the city for the Bryan reception and meeting on the night of February 3. The opera house, the only other available hall is engaged for that night by a traveling theatrical company which has full grasp of the situation and refuses to cancel its date without receiving a sum the Democrats look on as exorbitant.

Miners Horribly Mangled.

Springfield, Mo., Feb. 1.—Walter McCrosky and Lon Tancy were working in a mine on the James river six miles south of Springfield, when a blast of dynamite exploded prematurely and mangled the two young men in a most horrible manner. McCrosky had one arm blown off, the other hand badly cut and both eyes probably destroyed. Tancy was seriously bruised in many places, but will recover.

Gompers Gone to Cuba.

New York, Feb. 1.—President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, has sailed for Cuba on the steamship Orinoco, having obtained a month's leave of absence from the executive council of the federation, to recuperate from his recent bicycle accident. Mr. Gompers has been instructed to study labor matters in Cuba while he is away with a view of forming unions there.

National Banks Exempt.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The secretary of the interior has rendered a decision to the effect that national banks in the Indian Territory are not subject to license or privilege tax imposed by the laws of the territory upon nonresidents doing business within the Territory. There are 16 national banks in the Indian Territory.

Should Be Given a Medal.

New York, Feb. 1.—There will be decided opposition, it is stated, to giving Miss Helen Gould the thanks of congress, as proposed in a measure recently introduced. Representative Hull of Iowa, chairman of the committee on military affairs, says she shall be given a medal.

Government Troops Defeated.

New York, Feb. 1.—A dispatch from Port of Spain, Trinidad, says the Venezuelan revolutionists, under General Valentine Perez, defeated the government troops at San Fernando, the capital of Ipure. Perez' forces now occupy San Fernando.

Major Harwood Dead.

Gonzales, Tex., Feb. 1.—Major T. M. Harwood died at his residence here, at the age of 72 years. Major Harwood was a talented lawyer, Mason, a Confederate veteran, and an elder in the Presbyterian church.

THE BEST RESOLUTION

To make for 1900, is to resolve to manage your expenses so that at the end of the year you will have a balance to your credit greater than the year before, and at the same time not deny your family all the little luxuries which are now regarded as necessities. Buy your Groceries right—there's the secret of economic and comfortable living, and we honestly believe you will never regret placing your business with us.

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DIGNITY OF THE SENATE. It Was Obliterated in a Debate About the Philippines.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Debate in the senate, ordinarily calm and dignified burst yesterday into passionate utterances and bitter recriminations. Senators hurled denunciation at one another until the auditors quivered with the excitement. Mr. Pettigrew, who has precipitated nearly all of the debate upon the Philippine question during the present session, sought to have read a resolution embodying a document written by Emilio Aguinaldo upon the Filipino insurrection and containing his version of the alleged recognition of the Filipino republic by Admiral Dewey.

Senator Lodge protested against printing the document in any form and read a letter from Admiral Dewey in which that portion of Aguinaldo's statement relating to the admiral was denounced as "a tissue of falsehoods."

Senators on the floor listened with eager attention and many gallery spectators leaned far over the railings in their desire not to miss a sentence.

Mr. Lodge said he preferred accepting Dewey's word to that of Aguinaldo and was satisfied the American people would also.

In a passionate reply Mr. Pettigrew declared that Admiral Dewey had recognized the Filipino republic and although afforded an opportunity heretofore to deny Aguinaldo's statements, had not done so.

In an instant half a dozen senators were on their feet, Mr. Hawley, the venerable senator from Connecticut, denounced Mr. Pettigrew's action as treason.

In rapid succession Senator Pettigrew was made the target of stinging arraignments by Senators Spooner, Hawley, Sewell and Gallinger. That the feeling was at a pitch seldom noted in the senate was evidenced by the pale faces of the men who spoke.

Mr. Jones of Arkansas and Mr. Teller of Colorado endeavored to stem the tide of protest and deep feeling by conciliatory speeches.

At the conclusion of the scene the financial bill was taken up and discussed by Mr. Berry of Arkansas and Mr. Teller of Colorado.

The House.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Under the latitude allowed in general debate on appropriation bills, the Indian appropriation bill in the house was made the occasion for the discussion of a wide range of public questions. Our policy in the Philippines, the government of Porto Rico, and the leasing of arid lands.

FIGHT OVER THE WAR.

Two Mixed Families Scrap and the Husband's Badly Hurt.

Danville, Ills., Feb. 1.—Frank Specht, a German, who has an English wife, and William Shoemaker, an Englishman, with a German wife, got into an argument over the Boer war here. The argument resulted in a fight.

Frank Specht was stabbed five times with a pitchfork and may die.

William Shoemaker was badly beaten and scratched.

Mrs. William Shoemaker was badly scratched and her hair torn out.

Frank Specht was badly bruised and scratched.

At the beginning of the fracas the women stood valiantly for their own nationality, but as the fight progressed each forgot her country fought for her husband. When the police arrived Specht was unconscious and bleeding profusely, while the women were tearing each other's hair.

Insane Couple's Mad Deed.

Ottumwa, Ia., Feb. 1.—Driven to insanity by religion, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spencer, residing on a farm six miles northwest of Lovil, Monroe county, became imbued with the idea that God had called upon them to offer up as a sacrifice their infant child. Every particle of clothing was removed from the child and its nude body was carried into the yard by its parents and there kept until death ensued from the extreme cold. The father's hands and feet were badly frozen during the operation. People passing witnessed the occurrence and calling help, succeeded in overpowering Spencer after a hard fight. He and his wife are now in custody.

KURTEN.

Kurten, Tex., Jan. 29.—There was preaching at Wickson by Rev. Skinner, of Wellborn, who will serve us for the next year.

There was a musical entertainment at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Edge last Friday night. All present had a nice time.

Mr. John Moore, of Alabama, arrived here Sunday. He will spend the summer with his uncle, A. Moore.

Nearly every one in this vicinity has begun turning the soil for the coming year.

Mr. Walter Edge returned home Saturday from the Sam Houston Normal on account of sickness.

Miss Ida Holligan, of Steep Hollow, spent last week with Miss Clyde Meredith.

Miss Laura Carroll, of Clairmont, spent Sunday with Miss Dee Post here.

Misses Lillie Nichols and Laura Presnel spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Minnie Edge. PINK.

CROSS.

Cross, (Grimes County), Texas, Jan. 29.—We are enjoying a good norther for the past few days, which has given the people an opportunity to wind up their hog killing. W. P. Hodge killed one weighing 482 pounds, which was the best in this section.

Mr. A. P. Isbell and W. A. Carnes left for Bryan today.

G. J. McClung has gone to Harvey for a day or two.

Farmers will begin to plow some now if the weather continues good.

Health in this section is good. Uncle Charley Rice, of Liberty, is feeble again.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Isbell have been visiting relatives and friends in this section for some time and enjoying fine health.

Cold at Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Two deaths were caused by cold weather here and many persons are suffering from frost bites varying in severity. Mercury has touched eight below zero, lowest point this winter.

The Girl Delivered.

Constantinople, Jan. 31.—Sylvia Gemelli, the young Italian girl whose release from a harem was demanded by Italy on a penalty of a rupture of diplomatic relations, was conducted to the Italian embassy and handed over to her father.

Uncle Ned.

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WALNUT CREEK.

Walnut Creek (Roberson county), Texas, Jan. 29.—Everything

CORRESPONDENCE.

HOLLIGAN SCHOOL HOUSE

Holligan School House, Jan. 29.—There was no meeting Sunday evening on account of the weather being so bad.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMillan, of Steep Hollow, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. E. Gandy and daughter, Miss Binnie, of Wellborn, visited Mrs. T. A. Hensler Saturday.

Miss Bettie Gandy, of Clayton's Prairie, visited relatives here Saturday.

looks cold once more, but the farmers are out at work in their fields for another crop.

Nesbitt is our postoffice. We have two grocery stores, one drug store, a blacksmith shop and a gin. We ginned something over 1,700 bales of cotton this fall. This will give you some idea of our country.

I would like to see some one write from every community in this county. NIP AND TUCK.

WICKSON.

Wickson, Texas, Jan. 29.—Most of the moving is over in this part of the county, and the farmers are ready to begin preparing their land for another crop.

The measles are raging here.

Mrs. Dolphus Johnson and her daughter, Annie, were in our midst Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Joe Biggs has returned from Mississippi, where he has been spending Christmas with his mother and other relatives.

Mr. Will Robinson, of College, visited his uncle, Mr. Dee Robinson, of this place, one day last week.

Prof. Travis Beard and wife visited Mrs. Robinson one day last week.

MRS. ELIZA A. PEARSON.

Mrs. Eliza Ann Pearson, aged 64 years, 1 month and 10 days, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Jas. Darwin, in this city, at 1 o'clock a. m., Thursday, Feb. 1.

Mrs. Pearson was formerly Miss Eliza Ann Freeman, and was born in Lyons county, Ala., Dec. 22, 1835. She was married in Coosa county, Ala., Dec. 29, 1867, to Mr. Z. P. Pearson, and came with her husband to Brazos county soon thereafter. Mr. Pearson died a number of years ago, leaving five children by a former marriage, and only one surviving child of this union, Mrs. James Darwin, of this city. The step-children of Mrs. Pearson are James A. Pearson and Mrs. Fannie Bumpass, of Kosse, Rev. J. W. Pearson, of Tehuacana, Mrs. Mollie Collier, of Waco, and P. M. Pearson, of Weatherford.

Mrs. Pearson was a member of the Presbyterian church and a devoted Christian lady, who was greatly beloved by all who came under her benign influence. Rev. J. Freeman, of this county, and Joe Freeman, Mrs. Mary Brooks and Mrs. Elizabeth Forbes, of Alabama, are brothers and sisters of the deceased.

The funeral will take place from the residence of Mr. Darwin this morning at 9 o'clock, Rev. J. D. West conducting the service. The interment will be at Wickson cemetery.

In Memoriam.

Mrs. Adelaide Boyles McDermitt died at her home in Garland, Tex., Jan. 16, after an illness of several months. She was perfectly resigned and her only regret was leaving her loved ones behind her.

She was born near Bryan, Texas, Feb. 16, 1871. She professed faith in Christ and joined the Baptist church in Waco in 1892. She was married to Mr. John A. McDermitt, of Garland, Texas, Dec. 10, 1896.

None knew her but to love her, Her husband's joy and pride; We sat and watched her dying, Close by her death bedside.

But her dear Savior took her, Up to that world of light, Where all are bright and happy, In their Heavenly Father's sight.

Tis hard to break the tender cord, When love has bound the heart; Tis hard, so hard, to speak the word; Must we forever part?

Dearest loved one, we have laid thee In the peaceful grave's embrace, But thy memory will be cherished, Till we see thy heavenly face.

—A. L. S.

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